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ACCEPTED FOR ARMY

Alexandria Draft Board Certifies to Another List of Men For Service in the National Army.

The Alexandria Draft Board has been in executive session again today looking over the papers of the men who have been before it for examination. Tomorrow, from nine until eleven o'clock, those men who had been previously summoned and have not appeared before the board will be given one more opportunity to be examined and it is stated that if they do not report then their names will be turned over to the Provost Marshal for such action as he may direct.

The board has certified to the following list of names of men whom it has decided as qualified for service:

Oswald A. Salmons (E), John H. Silbey, James L. Ouden, Ernest McCarthy, Thomas H. Ballenger (E), Moses Jones, Morris Levy, Charles U. Smith, Frank Brown, Burns N. Gibson, John C. Welch, (E), Robert L. Newton (E), Edwin V. Bryne, Benjamin F. Roberts, William G. Brown, Hazel R. Rucker, Charles E. Phillips, Charles Lewis, Paul McGriff, Chester C. Hough, Hubert Kendrick, Robert Turner, B. J. Sweeney, Martin L. Hyson, Thomas Buckley, Chester B. Schuyler, Jas. W. Dwyer, George Jackson, Clarence E. Wilkins, Benjamin F. Walker, Ernest E. Risdon, Richard M. Tavenner, Andrew L. Travers, Charles L. Wiseman, Phillip C. Crilly (E), Bernard G. Brock, John H. Hamilton, Robert O. Baker, Carroll D. Lucas, (E), Michael McC. Reece, Kemp R. Rush, Walter Blackwell, Wm. W. Watt (E), Aaron Brown, William Dixon, Lawrence Baker, M. W. Brodie, Julius H. Billings, Dan Beurely, James D. Woodward, James H. Hamm, William S. Lee, George L. Monday, Perry M. Johnson, Harry C. Mankin (E), William F. Yoder, James Johnson, William R. Winston, Nelson J. E. Ennis, Aurula B. F. Lackey, Rae Meredith, Lester E. Cook, Elmer O. Smith, Leroy S. Allen, Christopher Claxon, William A. Cox, Gilbert Baker, Ernest M. Armentrout, Bernard Padgett (E), Wash Jones, Robert J. Poss (E), William T. Hopkins, William F. Hellmuth, Isaac Phillips, Charles Dean, Bennie Cornell. (E), Charles A. Grimes, Frank W. Zimmerman, St. Claire D. Shelton, James R. Fletcher, Aaron B. Garrett, Golder Walch, Charles J. A. Wolz, George W. Sims, Elmore Samuel, Clarence S. Embrey, Edwin G. Balinger, Johanie H. Weathless, William G. Hall, John H. Sullivan, A. C. Beavers, Courtney Hauls, Powell T. Roberts (E), Henry W. Armstrong, Lawrence E. Padgett, Tench T. Marye (E), George T. Milstead, Gordon Hooff, William B. Richards, Clarence J. Winston, William C. Ashford (E), Frank M. Byrd, W. John Greenan, Fielder J. Lynn (E), John T. Ashton (E), Curtis J. Taylor, Paul Anderson, Charles W. King, William A. Ferguson, William Hyman, William Rollins, George E. Kimball, Thomas W. Cook, Arthur Peeler, William Thomas, Peter R. Hall, Robert Carter, James C. Rush, William F. Petty, Wilson S. Washington (E), Carroll Nalls (E), Richard L. Smith, Charles S. Campbell, Erasmus Shipworth, James B. Patterson (E), Edward F. Corbin, Irvin E. Smith, Melvin M. Fones, William C. Turner, Walter Smith and Walter L. Smith.

The names of men followed with letter (E) indicates that they are already enlisted.

SUIT OVER A SHIRT.

Greek Complained That a Chinaman Had Damaged Garment While Laundering it.

A laundryman from the land of Confucius and a fruit dealer from the country of Homer were parties to a case in the Police Court this morning. The Hellene complained that the Celestial had damaged a new shirt while it was passing through the process of laundering in the latter's establishment. The defendant denied the charge, laughing all the time, while the Greek seemed also to be in a good humor. Justice Caton finally told the couple that the matter was of a civil nature and had no place in the Police Court.

Marriage Notice.

Married, on August 25, 1917, by the Rev. A. E. Spielman, Miss Emma Metzger and Mr. John P. Welch, both of Alexandria, Va.

SOLDIERS GUARD NEGRO

Company G Called out to Prevent Attempt at Lynching Colored Man Who Attacked White Women.

Captain Conrad Johnson, commanding Company G, First Regiment of Virginia which was recently taken into federal army, received a telephone dispatch yesterday afternoon between two and three o'clock to hold his company in readiness for orders which might follow later in the afternoon. At ten minutes to five he received the following telegram:

Governor's Island, N. Y.,
Aug. 26, 1917.

Commanding Officer,
Co. G, First Virginia Infantry,
Alexandria, Va.

The Secretary of War directs that you respond to request of Governor of Virginia for any assistance in the protection of a prisoner in the jail at Alexandria, and the maintenance of law and order. Your attention is directed to paragraph 488, Army Regulations, 1917,

(Signed) Simpson.

Make Hurried Departure.

Within about fifteen minutes afterward Captain Johnson had received a request from Governor Stuart to proceed to the Alexandria County jail at Fort Myer Heights and remove William H. Burgess, a colored man, aged 32 years, charged with assaulting two white women of Fairfax county, and take him to Fredericksburg. A special car was placed at his disposal by the Washington-Virginia trolley railway and with Lieutenant Duffey and fifty-three men, Captain Johnson was quickly on his way to carry out his orders.

Crowd at The Jail.

Concerning the happenings at the jail a Washington paper this morning said:

"It was shortly before 6 o'clock when the men from Company G, the crack Alexandria light infantry, alighted at Clarendon Junction and started on their march to the jail. Capt. Johnson halted his men in front of the little building and the crowd, which had grown to considerable size, gave way as the soldiers halted and faced it. The order was given to fix bayonets and to load rifles. Each man was supplied with six rounds of ammunition with directions to resist any attempt to take Burgess. Capt. Johnson then called for the prisoner.

"As Burgess appeared at the doorway of the jail in charge of Jailer Harry Crack, he trembled before the crowd of angry citizens, and the grim soldiers lined up before him. Burgess' left hand, which was linked by handcuffs to his right, was heavily bandaged where he had been shot by the posse which pursued him in Fairfax county Saturday night, immediately following the assault made on Miss Davis. He made no attempt to talk when Captain Johnson took him in charge. The soldiers immediately divided into two platoons and Burgess was placed between them and marched to the car. The crowd followed but made no attempt to capture the prisoner.

At Clarendon, where the soldiers transferred their prisoner from the street car a great crowd gathered, but Burgess was constantly surrounded by soldiers, and outside of threatening remarks from a few of the onlookers no demonstration was attempted.

When the soldiers arrived in Alexandria with their prisoner a crowd of more than 400 people were waiting at the station.

Burgess was hurriedly transferred to the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac train leaving Alexandria for Richmond at 7:02 last evening, and made the journey to Fredericksburg under guard of Capt. Johnson and ten of the original 53 soldiers. At Fredericksburg the prisoner was turned over to Sheriff Allison and two deputies, who had accompanied the troops. The sheriff and his deputies completed the remainder of the trip alone with their charge."

On arrival of the train at Fredericksburg Captain Johnson turned over the prisoner to Sheriff Allison of Fairfax county, and took a receipt for him as follows:

Aug. 26, 1917.—Received from Captain Johnson, one negro, Wm. H.

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Alexandria City and Suburbs

Mr. W. A. Smoot and family have returned from Atlantic City.

Mrs. Samuel Bendheim and Mrs. Louis Bendheim left today for a short trip to New York. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bendheim recently returned from a trip to Atlantic City.

Commonwealth's Attorney Samuel G. Brent and daughter, Mrs. D. Milton French and little son, David French, have returned home from a two weeks' stay at Harper's Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Doniphan and little son Jack have returned from Fort Hancock, New York, where they visited their daughter and son-in-law, Lieutenant and Mrs. D. N. Swan.

Sunday evening Mrs. Amy C. Weech delivered a temperance address in the Methodist Church at Arlington. Mrs. Weech also delivered addresses at the Purcellville Bush Meeting and at the Benton Wood's Camp meeting.

The board of school trustees of Jefferson district have decided not to enter any of their pupils in the High school of Alexandria during the ensuing school year, but will establish a second year High school in their own district.

Parents of children of school age will be interested in the notice published elsewhere in this issue concerning the issuing of permits for school attendance in the various schools of the city. The schools will open on Monday, September 10th.

Mrs. J. Frank Gaines, who resided at 309 south Patrick street, died at Fredericksburg yesterday. The deceased is survived by her husband and two daughters, Gladys and Alma. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 from St. Mary's Catholic Church. She was 48 years old.

Professor Ralph McBurney, of the Oregon Argicultural College, a former resident of this city, was recetnly awarded the degree of Master of Science by the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Oklahoma, where he was formerly an instructor, according to word received in this city.

Viscount Ishii and the other members of the Japanese mission to this country went to Mount Vernon from Washington yesterday to visit the tomb of George Washington obard the President's yacht, the Mayflower. While passing this city the large naval yacht attracted the attention of quite a large crowd.

Dr. Llewellyn Powell, of this city, who has been stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, attached to the hospital corps with the rank of lieutenant, passed through Alexandria last night on his way to his new station at Camp Meade, located at Admiral, Maryland. His many friends here will be glad to learn that he will be nearer home for a time at least.

It is expected that a large crowd will attend the lawn party to be given by the playground committee of the Parents-Teachers' Association at the corner of Queen and Washington streets tonight for the benefit of the playground. A special feature will be a n exhibition of rhythmic dances by Miss Flora Kail, of Washington, a well known artiste in that line.

Miss Kathryn Uhler is making a trip with a party of friends from Washington to Atlantic City, Canada and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. William Herbert and Miss Ellen Herbert are spending the remainder of the summer at Markham, Fauquier county.

Miss Mary Monroe has returned to her home in this city after a visit to Dr. and Mrs. William M. Smith at their home, "Rosemont," near Berryville.

Miss Nancy Tackett has been the guest of Miss Gladys Baldwin at her home near Laurel, Md., for the past few days. Mrs. John F. Tackett has also been visiting in Maryland. Miss Sophie Tackett is the guest of Miss Edna Roberts, in Williamsburg, Va.

Judge and Mrs. Louis C. Barley and son, Louis C. Barley, jr., returned Saturday from Port Colborne, Canada, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Baldwin. Judge Barley and son spent the past week end at Upperville, where they attended the Gypsy Smith meetings.

Martha Washington Chapter, No. 42. Order of Eastern Star, will celebrate Robert Morris' birthday, August 31, 1917, with a picnic at the residence of Mrs. Hohlman, in Luna Park, from 2 p. m. on. Refreshments will be served and there will be music and dancing in the pavilion, beginning at 7 o'clock. There will be no admission charged and everybody will be welcome.

It is expected that about one hundred Odd Fellows will journey down to Accotink this evening from Alexandria to attend the session of the lodge to be held there. Twenty-one automobiles have been engaged to carry the party and an enjoyable evening is anticipated. Grand Master W. Ross Southward, of Richmond, is expected to be in attendance.

Cadet Herman Pohl, U. S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johl, of Rosemont, will graduate at West Point this week. Cadet Pohl's mother, Mrs. A. J. Pohl, and brother, Everett, left last week to be present at the graduating exercises. Mr. Pohl, it is said, will be commissioned in the engineering corps, having made an enviable record for himself at the academy. He will graduate among the first few in his class.

The baseball team of the Alexandria County Athletic Association, otherwise known as the Clarendons, has jumped into the lead in the series for the amateur championship of northern Virginia and the District of Columbia which is being staged between the Clarendons, the Cardinals, of this city, the Athletes and the Rex Athletic Club of Washington. Clarendon defeated Rex at Clarendon yesterday in a close overtime contests which ended in a 2-to-1 score. At Columbia Park in Washington, in the meantime, the Cardinals were being subjected to a grueling defeat by a 15-to-1 tune. Quayle and Risdon, slabbing for the local lads in the capital city contest, were touched up for twenty-one hits, and made a miserable showing. The standing of the teams in the series now is; Clarendon, won three out of 4, and have 750 percentage; Cardinals, 2-4, 500; Athletics, 2-4, 500; Rex. 1-4, 250.

Mrs. George Anderton and Mrs. R. A. Dawes, of Braddock Heights, have returned from Sweet Springs, Va.

Miss Nannie Carter is the guest of relatives in Markham, Fauquier county, Va.

Miss Susan Fawcett is visiting her uncle, the Rev. Douglas Hooff, at his home in Frederick, Md.

V. Ward Boswell left today for Brevard, N. C., to be the guest of his sister, Mrs. G. C. Witmer.

Mrs. H. Talbot, of 326 north Columbus street, is the guest of her son, J. W. Talbot, in Washington.

The Allison W. C. T. U. will hold their regularly weekly meeting tonight at the Children's Home, and requests a full attendance.

Miss Virginia Shepherd, of Washington, was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Phillips, at their home on King street.

Miss Sallie Norfleet, of Kelford, N. C., has been the guest of Misses Caralie and Marion Greenaway, at their home on north Columbus street.

Company C of the Alexandria Home Guards will meet at the armory tonight for a drill. A full attendance is requested.

Mrs. Robert Lucas, jr., and daughter Regina have gone to Haddonfield, New Jersey. They will also visit at Atlantic City and Philadelphia before returning home.

Midshipmen Stewart W. King and Ferguson B. Bryan, U. S. N., are spending the months's leave granted midshipmen on the return to the U. S. Naval Academy from the summer practice cruise at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. King and Councilman and Mrs. Albert Bryan, respectively.

A searching party headed by Sheriff Fields and Special Officer Thomas Crack yesterday began to scour what are known as the "Cathcart Woods" at Ballston, Alexandria county, to capture a man who has been seen roaming about in them, seemingly, in a demented manner and devoid of clothes.

Mr. John P. Welch and Miss Emma Metzer, both of this city, were married at the parsonage of Trinity Methodist church by the Rev. A. E. Spielman on Saturday evening last. Shortly after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Welch left on a trip to the northern states and on their return will take up their residence in Wilmington, Delaware.

The garden committee will complete its task today of examining the ninety-one gardens which were entered in the contest for prizes offered by the Chamber of Commerce of $20, $10 and $5. Secretary Preston, one of the committeemen, stated this morning that the amount of fine vegetables produced in the gardens of Alexandria is highly creditable and that many of them were exceptionally good. The awards will be published as soon as made.

Albert O. Burgdorf, 30 years, Company C, Third Infantry, of the District National Guard, was drowned yesterday shortly after noon while bathing with two companions from a boat in Georgetown Channel, near the Virginia side of the river. Another drowning was reported about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon when William E. Harding, 19 years old, 26 Second street northeast, Washington, sank while bathing in the Basin.

WATER DROWNS HIS SORROW

Despondent Man Had Failed For Two Weeks With Liquor.

Bloobsburg, Pa., Aug. 27.—Giving his uitcase and its contents to Chas. Leopold, of Almedia, Columbia county, with whom he lived, with the declaration he was tired of life, Andrew Covatch, aged 40, who had been drinking heavily two weeks, yesterday afternoon dived into one of the deep quarry pools and committed suicide.

TUG SINKS LAUNCH.

Nine Men And Two Women Rescued as Their Craft is Struck.

Narrowly escaping death in the Potomac early yesterday morning when their launch, the Allen Mack, was crashed into and sunk by the tug Gladiator off Shepherds Point, opposite Alexandria, eleven people, two of them women, were rescued by the tug and carried back to Washington.

The crash came just as the members of the launch party were seating themselves for a midnight lunch. One of their number fell overboard, but was rescued. The bow of the launch was completely crushed and the vessel sank almost before the passengers could be pulled aboard the tug.

The launch was owned by Frank McCormick, of Washington. Burns Dumar, 803 F street, southeast, was at the wheel when the accident occurred.

Drafting Pensioners

Copenhagen, Aug. 27.—The difficulty which Germany is experiencing in obtaining men to fill the ranks is shown by an interpellation presented in the Reichstag by Deputy Davidsohn calling attention to the practice of the military authorities in recalling to the service pensioners who have been discharged for disabilities.

The interpellation says men receiving pensions for 50 per cent and more of total disability and even cripples to whom supplementary pensions have been granted are being constantly forced into the army again and that in some cases men are taken from hospitals before their treatment is completed.

DEATH OF T. F. JACOBS

Well-Known Alexandria Printer Succumbs at Alexandria Hospital After Operation.

Thomas F. Jacobs, who had been a member of the mechanical department of the Washington Herald since its foundation, died at 4:30 yesterday morning in the Alexandria Hospital.

Mr. Jacobs was operated on at that institution Saturday. He had been in declining health for some time and his condition became so serious a few days ago that an operation was deemed advisable.

Mr. Jacobs was 61 years of age and a native of Alexandria, having been born here October 25, 1856. He was a son of the late Lemuel and Emeline Jacobs.

Mr. Jacobs was a member of Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101, and was a prominent worker in that organization till the day of his death.

Besides his wife, Mary Frances Jacobs, and adopted nephew, Roger Brawner, the deceased is survived by several sisters.

The deceased during the early part of the eighties was an attache of the Alexandria Gazette. The funeral will take place from the residence, 509 south Lee street, on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment will be in Bethel cemetery. Services will be conducted by the Rev. A. E. Spielman, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church.

FINED ALL THE PARTIES.

Onlookers at Gambling Procedure Made to Pay $5 Each This Morning.

Edward Corbin, colored, was arrested yesterday at the instance of George Pinkhard, colored, who alleged that he gave Corbin $5 to keep for him, which the latter refused to give up when requested. Pinkhard said Corbin pretended he was about to draw a pistol when he asked him for the money. Two witnesses appeared for the complainant. During the investigation of the case it was shown that the trouble was the aftermath of gambling and that the complainant, defendant and witnesses (the latter alleging they were merely lookers-on) were parties to the offense. Justice Caton fined Corbin $5 for disorderly conduct and the others $5 each for gambling. It was alleged that Corbin, who had been charged with larceny, had been arrested four times this month on various charges.

"Beware of Strangers."

"Beware of Strangers," which will be seen at the Richmond tonight exposes the methods used by swindlers to rob the public. During the action of a thrilling drama of love and hate there is shown the wire tapping game, the operations of the Clairvoyant Trust, an expose of Mann Act blackmailers, etc. It ran for over five straight weeks in the Chicago "Loop." The production has been endorsed by officials of the U. S. Department of Justice, by Maclay Hoyne, the famous State's Attorney of Chicago, and many other authorities.

Alexandria City Schools

Permits to enter the city schools will be issued during the week beginning September 3rd, at Lee School building, commencing at 9 a. m. Permits for the High school, Lee school and Washington school will be issued Monday and Tuesday.

Permits for the West End school will be issued Wednesday at West End school building.

Permits for the colored children will be issued Thursday and Friday. Tax receipt must be presented before permit is issued.

204-6t. GILBERT J. COX, Clerk.

Notice Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Arlington Brewing Company will be held at the office of the company, Rosslyn, Va., on Tuesday September 11, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

Arlington Brewing Company.
204-14t Abe King, Secretary.

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DIES FROM HER INJURIES

Little Colored Child Run Over by Automobile Saturday Passes Away at Alexandria Hospital.

Hilda Carter, the little five-year-old colored girl, of 715 Wilkes street, who was run over by an automobile near the corner of Alfred and Wolfe streets Saturday afternoon, died about half an hour after being taken to the Alexandria hospital. Dr. T. M. Jones, city coroner, summoned a jury and held an inquest at Demaine's undertaking rooms at 7 o'clock the same evening. The jury was composed of R. M. Graham, foreman; Thomas Chauncey, James B. Patterson, D. G. Grillbortzer, T. M. Dunbarr and James B. Martin. After hearing the testimony the jury rendered a verdict to the effect that the child came to its death through an unavoidable accident and exonerated the dirver of the automobile from any responsibility. The car was driven by Mr. Arthur H. Matthews, of Wyoming, Delaware. He testified that he was running about ten or twelve miles an hodr and that the child ran out in front of his machine from behind a wagon which was on the corner. He said that he stopped his machine within two-thirds of its length and immediately after the accident conveyed the child to the hospital and then went to the police station and informed the police.

J. E. Covington, of Laurel, Md., who was riding with Mr. Matthews said the accident was entirely unavoidable. Others in the car at the time were Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. Covington. The party were returning from a tour to Mount Vernon where they had spent the day. The child was treated at the hospital by Dr. George P. Klipstein. One front wheel of the auto is said to have passed over the body of the child and there was but little hope retained for its recovery when its injuries were learned.

CHARGED WITH THEFT.

Woman Alleged to Have Robbed a Man of $200 in Washington.

Complaint was lodged at police headquarters yesterday by William Moten, colored, that Arabella Mitchell, also colored, had robbed him of $200 in Washington and that later she had come to this city. Officers began a search for the woman and early this afternoon Officer Roland found the alleged thief.

It was learned that she had deposited $100 in the First National Bank and had spent about $20 in wearing apparel.

Upon being taken in custody the woman acknowledged she took $115 from Moten, but he declares she had robbed him of $200.

Later officers conducted the woman to the First National Bank where $100 was turned over to them. They subsequently visited the stores where the woman made purchases to ascertain if the money would be refunded should the fabrics be returned. If the storekeepers refuse to do this, the goods will be seized. The woman will be held subject to the action of the Washington authorities.

It is said that Moten was engaged last week in inducing colored men to leave Fairfax county and go north with him.

NOCTURNAL CHASE.

Alexandria Police Pursue Automobile Party Believed to Have Violated Mapp Law.

About nine o'clock Saturday night members of the police department learned that an automobile had passed through the city having, it was believed, a large stock of stimulants aboard. Chief Goods, Sergeant Scott and Officers Miller and Bell entered an automobile which was operated by Kenneth W. Ogden and started in pursuit. The auto supposed to contain the liquor had 35 minutes' start on the police, and having a suspicion that the party was being pursued, those in charge made a record run. Mr. Ogden's machine also made good time, but the fugitives prevented the space between two cars from being contracted, and the Alexandrians after going as far as Occoquan workhouse, returned to this city.

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ASSAULTS IN FAIRFAX.

While the crimes of the negro Burgess arrested last week in Fairfax county, for assaulting a woman and a little girl are of the blackest, lovers of law and order prefer to let the law takes its course in his case. He has committed capital offenses, and there is no doubt he will receive the full penalty of the law. He is now in Richmond, where he will be kept until he is made to face a jury in Fairfax county.

The story of Burgess's crimes and the frustration of the intentions of a justly-aroused community will be found elsewhere in the Gazette.

During the past half-century several negro fiends have been lynched in this city, in close proximity to Alexandria and on the opposite Maryland shore. Many years ago the body of a negro who had incurred the indignation of the people of Prince George's county, Md., was found early in the morning dangling from a tree in sight of our city. The negro had been taken from the authorities, hung and left for the buzzards to devour.

Nearly two score years have passed away since a lynching has occurred in Alexandria. The facts are still fresh in the minds of many. Both victims of mob violence were colored youths. Numbers who took part in those overt acts have since become convinced that the law should have been allowed to take its course in both cases.

A white man was later arrested on the complaint of a woman. A mob, composed of many boys, some in short pants, gathered that night. Some of the youngsters, whose conception of lynching was on a par with a bon fire, carried coal oil cans and were ready to apply the match as soon as the alleged culprit was brought into the street and chained to a post. Fortunately the authorities had sent the accused out of the city early in the afternoon, and the mob, greatly disappointed, scattered. It was subsequently ascertained that the man had not committed a capital offense.

There is no doubt whatever of the guilt of the negro arrested in Fairfax county according to all we hear, and the court will mete out the punishment due in such cases.

A DESERVED TRIBUTE

The Washington Herald of this morning contains a double-column eulogy in a heavy black border on Thomas F. Jacobs, who died at the Alexandria Hospital early yesterday morning after having been operated upon Saturday. The deceased had for some time been foreman of the advertising department in the Herald composing room, where his workmanship was justly appreciated. Among other things the writer says:

"Mr. Jacobs was one of those unsung heroes in life's game whose work rather than his personage was brought to the eyes of the world. He had ever been regarded as a smybol of efficiency and reliability. Advertisers seeing the finished product of their advertisements gave little thought to the hours that the deceased labored. Those of us who have often read of ourselves in the newspapers knew not of Mr. Jacobs's hand work."

The above eulogy brings to mind a passage in Eugene Sue's "Wandering Jew." The heroine of the book is Mme. Cardoville, who is represented to be exceedingly rich, btu of plebeian instincts. Upon one occasion she gave a dinner to a number of her friends, when she brought out all her silverware. It was noticed by the guests that each piece bore a name no one of the party had ever heard of. One, more inquisitive than the others, asked the hostess where she purchased her plate. She replied "In Paris." Her questioner continued, "But I know no dealers there bearing the names I see on your plate." Mme. Cardoville replied as follows: "When I purchase a piece of silverware which suits my taste I ask the dealer the name of the artisan—the man who conceived and put it in shape. I then require him to put the workman's name upon it, in order that he, and not the shopkeeper, may receive the credit due his skill."

DO AMERICANS UNDERSTAND THE GERMANS?

Do Americans understand Germans?

The Germans say we do not.

Few Americans even yet have the slightest conception of the ideas which govern Germany. Many Americans have only lately come to believe the facts of German barbarism. They could not trust any evidence, so absolutely impossible did such things as the Germans have done seem to be in this twentieth century.

But everything Germany has done has been done calmly, coolly and with malice and 'afore thought. Germany is not a mad dog foaming at the mouth. The nation is mad, but it is the cool lunacy of a poisoned brain, not the red fury of rabies.

To find out what is the matter with Germany it is necessary to go to the source of German ideas—to the thinkers who have fashioned her ideals for the past two generations.

Following are some quotations which tell the tale. They are the words of the men who have been most widely read and most widely believed by the Germans of today.

These thinkers have put into unqualified statement the principles upon which the Prussian power was founded and has grown great. Like all philosophers they have simply reflected in their books the world about them. In turn their statements of the national ideals have had the effect of strengthening and crystalizing them.

The German gets his ideas from books and from philosophers more than any other modern man. The German professor wields an influence of which we know nothing in this country of unmuzzled newspapers, free politics and unlimited discussion on the stump.

Here is the German creed as formulated by Germany's own philosophers:

"Not only must the state be obeyed, it must be venerated as a God. Success insured by might is the measure of right."—Hegel.

"Weak nations have no right to existence, and must be absorbed by powerful nations. The essense of the state is power. Nothing exists or can exist which is superior to the state."—Treitschke.

"The state can do no wrong. The observance of treaties is not a matter of duty but of advantage."—Adolphus Lassen.

"Love God above all things and thy neighbor as thyself. This law can claim no significance for the relations of one country to another. There never has been and never will be universal rights of men."—Bernhardi.

"Morality is a sympton of decadence. War is as necessary to the state as slavery is to society. Might is the source of right. There is no right other than that of theft, usurpation and violence."—Nietzche.

And finally the renegade Englishman Houston Chamberlain, who hates his own country and from his Berlin home has for years savagely attacked Englishmen as decadent, because they would not accept the German theories, says: "Militarism is the indispensable instrument of German culture, it builds its brightest hopes of supremacy on the extermination of others."

There are Americans who believe in such theories and try to practice them. For them we maintain many penitentiaries and electric chairs. We do not honor them with decorations nor place them in the chairs of our universities. No American has ever successfully published a book upholding such doctrines. In Germany such books can be bought at any railway news stand.

Is it any wonder the Germans say we can't understand them?—Huntingdon Advertiser.

ANOTHER PARRHASIUS.

We are told that Parrhasius, one of the most celebrated of the Greek painters, took a captive Lemnian and after exposing his liver had that organ torn from his victim piece by piece. The object of the artist was to depict upon his canvas the look of horror upon the face of Prometheus while chained to the cold rocks of Mount Caucasus while vultures tore away fragments of his liver. As soon as the organ had been devoured another immediately took its place, so the sufferings of Prometheus were eternal. He had brought fire from heaven for the use of man, and this horrible punishment was inflicted by the gods whom he had offended.

Here are a few samples of German high sea atrocities as described by Wesley Frost, former United States consul at Queenstown, who probably knows more about the horrors of U-boat warfare than any other Government official:

Twelve men were allowed to drown on a sinking torpedoed vessel while a U-boat commander took snap shots from the conning tower of his submersible to send to his sweetheart.

A merchant vessel's captain, with a revolver pointing at his temple, was forced to pull the lever that sent a torpedo from a U-boat into the vessel that was his own.

Sixteen men from a captured merchant ship were left on the deck of a U-boat as it submerged.

Mr. Frost recounted numerous other details of German cruelty in an address before the army and navy officers at the Church of the Covenant in Washington last night.

"The U-boat commanders always refused to tow life-boats from sinking ships," said Frost. "The Germans would rather practice marksmanship upon the small boats than throw out a life line."

"THE NEXT WAR."

Prussian imperialist intentions, which are the background of German foreign policy, occasionally indulge in frank speech. At such moments it is well for the world against which the militarists' plots are aimed to listen carefully. For, once the depraved lust of the militarist is understood, he is half conquered. General von Liebert's talk about "the next war" is the latest confession from junkerdom.

"We cannot have a peace before we have the Flanders coast, a colonial empire and maritime bases," he said at Rathenow. For, "should we not realize this now, we must prepare to work for it after the war, in view of the next war."

The Chicago Herald in commenting upon the above says that is the Prussian in political negligee. Thus he speaks—among Prussians! The Allied nations are thinking only of a settlement in which war may be eliminated. They are looking for peace based on justice. The Prussian still cleaves to the gods of conquest and international brigandage. Unless Germany gets Belgium this time there must be another war. The only morality the autocrat knows is Teutonic covetousness. For him that suffices. That is the reason the free nations cannot trust Germany. As long as the General von Lieberts are permitted to force their will upon their nation no other nation is safe. "The next war" ever impends.

SOLDIERS GUARD NEGRO.

(Continued from page one.)

Burgess, charged with assault in Fairfax county, Virginia, delivered to me at Fredericksburg, Va.

(Signed) J. R. Allison, Sheriff.

Captain Johnson and his company of ten men then took the next train back to Alexandria, and the prisoner was taken on to the jail in Richmond for safe keeping.

Charged With Two Assaults.

Burgess, the negro arrested, is charged with assaulting two women in Fairfax county. He is said to be a vicious looking fellow although it is thought by some that he is insane. It is also said that he has confessed to the two crimes.

The first assault occurred about 5:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, when Burgess, who was walking from Fairfax to Occoquan, encountered Mrs. Mildred Miller. He grabbed her and dragged her into the woods, about seventy-five yards from the road, when he became frightened by the sound of an approaching vehicle and fled.

Dogs on Trail.

Sheriff Allison immediately communicated with the workhouse and requested the use of the bloodhounds kept at the institution. Two dogs were dispatched to the scene of the assault and placed on the trail. Failing to run the negro down, the posse was about to disband when it received word late yesterday afternoon of a second assault on a Miss Mary Davis, seventeen years old, at a point about five miles from where t he first occurred. By this time a third dog had been received from the workhouse kennels. The animal was put on the fresh trail and within a short time the posse came in sight of the fleeing negro.

Burgess Wounded.

Cries to halt went unheeded and one of the members of the party opened fire, the bullet striking Burgess in the wrist. He then stopped running and surrendered. The captors included about twelve men from Fairfax and Clifton and two guards from the District workhouse. They took Burgess to Fairfax, arriving ust as Sheriff Allison who had been to Washington on a false trail in connection with the first assault, put in an appearance, shortly after 7 o'clock last night. The sheriff decided to take no chances with the wrought up feeling of the community and spirited Burgess away in an automobile for safer keeping at the jail at Fort Myer Heights.

Burgess arrived in Fairfax last Thursday. He rode into Fairfax on a bicycle which he is alleged to have stolen and which he sold for $6. He then obtained a job with a construction gang on the Southern railway. It was after leaving his work Thursday that he met Mrs. Miller on the road from Fairfax to Occoquan.

DEL RAY AND ST. ELMO PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Del Ray, Aug. 27.—The many who were absent from the morning services at Del Ray M. E. Church South missed a splendid discourse by Rev. N. Van Sant, of Washington, who preached from the text "What is man, that thou art mindful of him?" He emphasized the wonderful power of a partnership of God and man, and urged all to live their religion and not just talk it, as too many are expecting present and future happiness from church membership instead of church activity. Rev. Van Sant is connected with the D. C. Central Union Mission, and is an interesting speaker. Rev. E. F. Fielding preached the evening sermon.

The morning sermon at the Baptist church was by a visitor, Rev. J. E. Booth, who preached from the text, "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth." The evening sermon was by the pastor Rev. W. L. Wayts.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beadie with their infant daughter, from Richmond, and Mrs. Gabrielsky and daughter Anna, of Ashland, Va., are visiting the family of Mr. C. H. Shaffer, on Windsor Avenue, Del Ray.

Miss Rose Emerson, of Del Ray, is enjoying a week's vacation, and is spending part of it with friends in Washington.

Miss Florence Corbin assumed her duties in the Revision Bureau, at Potomac Yards today, and is boarding in the home of Mr. C. J. Hildebrand, in St. Elmo.

Miss Ruth Smith, of Del Ray, is visiting her brother, Mr. Julian Smith, in Philadelphia, Pa.

The regular meeting of the town council will be held tonight at the school house.

The Del Ray branch of the Red Cross will meet in the school house tonight.

Walter Broaddus is greatly improved and was out yesterday for the first time since he was injured when thrown from a horse a fortnight ago.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Greiner, of Washington, were the guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Foster, in St. Elmo.

Miss Emily Smith, has returned from a two weeks trip of sightseeing and visiting in Norfolk, New York, Buffalo and Canada.

Miss Gladys Greiner and Miss Teresa Greiner, of Orange, Va., are house guests of Miss Maida Foster, in St. Elmo.

Mrs. Martha E. Adkins had a family reunion yesterday at her home in St. Elmo, in honor of her son, Mr. J. B. Adkins, and wife of Gunntown, Fla., who had not been home for three years. There were twenty-three present. In addition to those mentioned they are Miss Mary Adkins and Mr. John Adkins and Mr. Ernest Adkins, the daughter and sons with whom Mrs. Adkins resides, also Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jennerson, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ward and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Leslie, and Mr. Ernest Jefferson, of Philadelphia, Mr. Roland Adkins, of Washington, Miss Elizabeth Craig, of Easton, Pa., and Mr. Hammond Jefferson, of Delaware.

OUR RELATIONS WITH AUSTRIA

(Richmond Times-Dispatch.)

The renewal of the Italian offensive on the Isonzo front has again raised the question of American relationship with Austria. We are not at war with that country. No formal declaration of hostility has ever been made by this government or that. We have severed diplomatic relations with the dual empire and, therefore, have no direct communication with Vienna, but nominally we are at peace with Germany's chief ally.

All the while, however, we are giving assistance to Austria's enemies. We are seeking every means of reenforcing Russia. We are supplying and munitioning Italy. We have dispatched commissions to Roumania. Why one or the other government does not declare the existence of a state of war between the United States and Austria, the average man cannot understand. Why either should wish to occupy the equivocal position of armed enemity toward the other while maintaining the attitude of peace, is difficult to figure out. On Austria's side there may be one good reason for this manifest double-dealing. She has a great fleet of merchant ships in American harbors. These she is selling to advantage as fast as purchasers appear. They are not subject to confiscation by the United States in the absence of a declaration of war. Morecver, she has many thousands of subjects in this country. They are not subject to internment, except for specific activity. Above and beyond all this, Austria may feel that as long as she does not go to war with the United States, she is in a position to act in the interest of peace. And she has been exercising her opportunity in that direction. Her part in the papal proposals is now known to all the world. She has made repeated overtures, evidently designed to reach Washington. All of which she is permitted to do until she becomes a belligerent enemy of the United States.

VIOLATORS OF SPEED LAW.

Three Parties Cited to Appear in the Police Court for Violating Speed And Traffic Statutes.

A white man and two colored men had their names upon the blotter of the Police Court this morning, they being charged with infractions of the speed and traffic laws in operating automobiles. The white man and one of the colored men did not appear to answer the charges against them, and the third delinquent was fined $5 for disorderly conduct towards Sergeant Wilkinson who had called the attention to the fact that his machine was on the wrong side of the street.

Justice Payne, of Fairfax county, yesterday arrested the driver of a sight-seeing car from Washington on the charge of operating the same in this state without a Virginia license. The auto is operated between Washington and Mount Vernon. The driver left $10 collateral for his appearance at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

WHY IS A PHOTOGRAPH AND HOW.

Episode No. 9.—
PRINTING.
Whether the photographers'—
Artistic inspiration,—
When you entered—
His studio,—
As potential material—
For a portrait,—
Was simply a false alarm—
Or a sure-enough,—
Dyed-in-the-wool hunch,—
Is evident—
When the first print—
Is made from the plates.—
The photographer knows—
Long before—
You pass on the proofs,—
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RUSSIANS REPEL ATTACKS

War Office Reports Further Advance On Caucasian Front.

Petrograd, Aug. 27.—Attacks at several points on the Russian and Roumanian fronts were beaten back yesterday by the Russians, the War Office announces. A further advance on the Caucasian front, where the Russians recently began offensive operations, also is reported.

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TO CARE FOR AMERICANS.

Red Cross Perfecting Plans to Feed American Prisoners in Germany.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The American Red Cross has perfected plans for Americans who may be captured and held in German prison camps. A Prisoners' Relief Committee has been organized at Berne, Switzerland, under the supervision of Ellis L. Dresel, of the American Legation. Mr. Dresel served from the outbreak of the war in 1914 up to our breaking off diplomatic relations as an attache of the American Embassy at Berlin,where his duties included relief work for men of the Entente nationalities in German prison camps.

Today only about one hundred American prisoners are held in Germany. Most of these are civilians taken off American merchantmen that have been sunk by Tenton submarines. More recent arrivals in the prison camps had served as gun crews, since the arming of our merchant ships.

Speedy provision for their relief and for those who may be taken prisoner is necessitated by the German policy of giving their prisoners of war food totally inadequate to keep men in good health. The extremely high death rate among Russian, Serbian and Roumanian prisoners in Germany and Austria (30 per cent in the case of the Roumanians) has been largely due to the inability of Russia and the Balkan states to organize the rationing of prisoners of their nationalities from their home countries.

A recent cable dispatch from Paris tells of a French soldier just back from a German prison camp and in the last of tuberculosis. This soldier was one of the battalion of a thousand young and healthy men captured in a body, early in the war. More than fifty per cent of the number are now dead, or have been returned to France, via Switzerland, as incurables.

Malnutrition, no less than unsanitary conditions, produces these results. British, Canadian and Australian prisoners of war in Germany now depend exclusively upon food shipped to them from London, and generally give the prison camp ration to prisoners of other countries, who are, as a rule, less well provided. Bread is already being dispatched from Berne to the Americans in Germany, and arrangements have also been made for transmitting letters and money from their families and friends in this country.

Thus far only bread has been supplied by the Berne Committee of the American Red Cross. Assorted food parcels and clothing will also be forwarded soon. In the meantime the Central Prisoners of War Committee of London is acting on behalf of American prisoners in Germany, sending them such foods as the committee regularly dispatches to British and colonial prisoners.

By arrangement with Germany, these food parcels are sent to the prisoner three times a fortnight. These parcels supplement the bread which is also regularly supplied, and each of them contains ten pounds of meat, butter, sugar, jam, coffee, or tea, salt, rice, and dried fruit. The American Red Cross is forwarding to Berne stocks of the same foodstuffs, as well as cheese, evaporated milk, codfish, and mixed biscuit. Tinned goods cannot be sent to prisoners, for Germany has made over the tin containers as hand grenades.

Ninety-five per cent of the British packages sent into Germany, with postal card receipt to be mailed back by the prisoner, have been duly receipted for. The American Red Cross, also, will enclose postal cards, as a means of making sure that Americans prisoners do actually receive the food parcels.

NEWS OF THE DAY

A party of Turkish seamen, who were taken prisoners when their coast trade sailing vessels were sunk by the Russians in Anatolian waters recently, has arrived at Sebastapol, Russia. They state that extreme distress prevails in Turkey. Some of them told of heartrending scenes, illustrating the misery due to the shortage of food and supplies. The widespread feeling against Germany is growing from day to day, according to the Turkish prisoners. They also tell of many demonstrations throughout Turkey in behalf of the immediate cessation of the war.

A jitney bus going full speed around a curve yesterday ran into a heavy touring car on the Elizabeth-Clairtown road near Pittsburgh and pushed the heavier car over a 75-foot embankment. Mrs. Margaret Weisser, of Dravosburg, was killed and two women, who were the occupants of the car, are in a hospital not expected to live.

The people of Germany are unquestionably facing a serious shortage of necessary food and the maximum efforts of the authorities now are required to make what supplies they have go around, according to William Bartholomew, former representative of an American oil company at Hamburg, who arrived at an Atlantic port on a Danish ship.

Three free drinks were refused last night in an Italian saloon near police headquarters in New York and in the battle which followed two men were killed and two others fatally wounded. The trio of gunmen made their escape.

Stanley Warble, of the 167th regiment, the "Rainbow division," wanted to tell his mother goodby, so he attempted to ride a freight train to his home in Birmingham, Ala. He slipped in boarding the train. Both legs were cut off and he died in the hospital.

The body of C. E. Mason, a shoe merchant of Memphis, Tenn., was found in his room in a St. Louis hotel. He had taken poison. A note found in the room said the suicide was prompted by domestic trouble. In a note addressed to his wife Mason said that she would find two $5,000 life insurance policies in his safe. The note said in part; "I received your letter. It is too late for you to be a pal to me. Your high strung pride and constant nagging has driven me to this. Tell Monroe and Charles not to marry women with high pride and no practical sense."

William Brooks, colored, of Marlboro, Md., died at Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, yesterday, as a result of injuries received when an automobile in which he and his family were riding was struck by a Chesapeake Beach Railway train at Marlboro station. A few hours later his daughter Selma, 7, died, and two more children are expected to die within 48 hours. One of the children was instantly killed when the train struck the machine. Nine persons were in the car, six of them children. It is said that the car was crossing the tracks of the railway company on Marlboro pike when the train, loaded with excursionists from Washington, struck it.

The Cologne Volks Zeitung announces the appointment of a committee of seven members of the reichstag to co-operate with Chancellor Michaelis in drafting a reply to the Pope's peace proposal. Each party is to be represented, the socialists by Friedrich Ebert and Philipp Scheidemann; the center by Deputy Fehrenbach and Mathias Erzberger; the liberals by Friedrich von Payer; the nationals liberals by Dr. Gustav Stresemann, and the conservatives by Count von Westarp. The newspaper greets the innovation as a decisive step toward parliamentary government.

President Wilson Saturday declared that the first draft of 687,000 citizen soldiers should be made up of men who are not heads of families. In a letter to Secretary of War Baker he said that the only exception to this rule should be in the case of a man seeking exemption, or his dependents, having sufficient income to supply the needs of those dependents.

The explosion at Mare Island Navy Yard in July, killing five and injuring more than thirty, is pronounced, in an official report made by Secretary Daniels, to have been the deliberate act of some one unknown, and not an accident.

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$5.00 Ladies White Wash Dress Skirts. Sale price	$2.98
$1.00 Boy's Wash Suits. Sale price	69c
$1.50 Boy's Wash Suits. Sale price	98c
Women's $25.00 Tailored Cloth Suits	$12.50
$2.50 Ladies' Parasols. Sale Price	$1.49
$3.50 Ladies' Parasols. Sale price	$1.98
$5.00 Ladies' Parasols. Sale price	$2.49
$1.25 to $1.50 Misses Silk Parasols. Sale price	69c
$1.98 to $2.50 Misses Parasols. Sale price	$1.25
$6.50 Boys' Wool Suits. Sale price	$3.98
$4.98 Boys' Wool Suits. Sale price	$3.50
$1.00 Boys' Grey Linen Pants. Sale price	69c
$2.50 Misses Middy Dresses. Sale price	$1.49
$1.25 Ladies' Crepe Gowns. Sale price	69c
$2.75 Large Bath Mats. Sale price	$1.69
$12.50 Ladie's and Misses White Dresses. Sale price	$6.98
$5.98 Misses and Ladie's White Dresses. Sale price	$3.49
$9.98 Ladies' and Misses White Net Dresses. Sale price	$5.98
$12.50 Ladies' and Misses White Net Dresses. Sale price	$7.49
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TO IGNORE PROPOSALS

Novoe Vremya Views Note as Only Piece of Paper to File.

Petrograd, Aug. 27.—The official news agency gives out the following:

"The provisional government has thoroughly deliberated the question of Pope Benedict's note with regard to peace pourparleys.

"In view of the fact that no mention is made in the papal note of Russia, the provisional government has unanimously decided to ignore the intervention of the Pope.

"This decision will be communicated to the allied powers."

Press comment here on the Pope's note is on the whole cool. The Novoe Vremya says:

"Rome would have rendered a considerable service to humanity if it had addressed itself directly to the culprits and told them that nothing but complete reparation and restitution can account for their crime.

"The present declaration is merely another piece of paper to be filed away in the archives of diplomatic documents."

Sovrem Slovou says it cannot be doubted that the papal intervention was instigated by Austria-Hungary.

Retch observes that the papal proposals are advantageous only to the central powers.

ITALIANS VICTORIOUS.

Austrians Lose One Hundred Thousand Men During Recent Engagements.

Rome, Aug. 27.—The battle between the Italians and the Austrians still rages, with the Austrians stubbornly retreating at many points, including the lower Carso. Numerous messages from the front received by ministers indicate that the Italians are making swift strides toward victory.

The prisoners thus far number 600 officers and 23,000 men. The Italians have captured 75 guns, including two 305-milometer mortars and many guns of medium caliber, a great number of horses, an airplane in perfect condition, many trench mortars and machine guns and all kinds of war material, including several motor tractors loaded with ammunition.

The total losses of the Austrians from all causes are reckoned at nearly 100,000, the most important of which, in the Carso region, have not yet been officially announced. It is said that among the losses of the Austrians are many men of the famous Twelfth division, popularly known as the "iron division."

KILLED IN JUMP FROM TRAIN

Cincinnati Man Was Stealing Ride On Freight Car.

Cumberland, Md., Aug. 27.—A man about 30 years old, well dressed, who was known as Harry Brown, of Cincinnati, where he said his father kept a saloon on Race street, was killed early yesterday morning on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad just west of Cumberland. With E. E. Borror, he boarded a freight train with the intention of going to Borror's home at Keyser, but when he found he was on a train to Pittsburgh he jumped, sustaining fatal injuries.

At Lonaconing Brown had been painting the Presbyterian Church. had done odd jobs here, such as painting and acting as waiter in a restaurant. He said he had served also in the army and navy. He had a photograph of a woman with two children, who, he said composed his family.

120,000 CARS RELEASED.

High Mark Set in Saving of Space In Loading During the Month of July.

New Yor. Aug. 27.—Shippers are co-operating so well with the railroads in their efforts to further freight movement through efficient carloading that the space saved in July alone amounted to virtually 120,000 cars, according to a statement issued here by Fairfax Harrison, chairman of the railroads' war board. The movement was effective in all parts of the country, and included every commodity from coal and iron to food.

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MARTIAL LAW AT END

General Bell Informed of Sentiment Against Any More Negroes Being Encamped Near Texas Town.

Houston, Tex., Aug. 27.—Martial law in Houston, enforced because of the killing of seventeen persons during a raid on the city Thursday night by negro soldiers of the Twenty fourth Infantry, ended virtually last night.

After a conference between Major-General George Bell, jr., and Brigadier-General John A. Hulen, of the Texas National Guard, it was announced that all saloons and other drinking places could reopen today tomorrow morning.

Although the Chamber of Commerce has expressed itself against the Eighth Illinois Infantry, a negro regiment being brought here when other Illinois guardsmen come to occupy Camp Logan, there has been no formal action taken. Scores of telegrams from citizens are being sent to the Texas delegation in Congress asking it to work toward diverting the Eighth Regiment to some other locality. General Bell has been informed of this sentiment, and so have Brigadier-Generals Hill and Foster, of the Illinois National Guard

General Bell said: "It is a matter that Washington must attend to. I will say, however, that I do not believe any more negro troops should be sent here.

RUSSIANS DIED IN MASSES.

Gen. Yanushevich Tells of Terrible Days in the War.

Petrograd, Aug. 27.—Gen. Yanushevich, formerly chief of general staff, testifying before the cassation department of the senate at the trial for high treason of Gen. Soukhomlinoff, the former minister of war, and the minister's wife, charged with being an accomplice, drew a graphic description of the terrible position of the Russian army when it suddenly found itself admost completely without shells or rifles. Urgent demands by the hundreds, he said, were sent to Souhomlinoff, but all were answered simply with reassuring promises, and nothing was done.

Russian soldiers perished in masses and, in view of the utter impossibility of resisting the enemy, fled into the interior of the country. Knowing that the Russians were without ammunition, the Germans frequently brought up guns close to the Russian positions and bombarded at close range, working terrible havoc.

Testifying in answer to this, Soukhomlinoff said that while Germany had been preparing for war for 40 years, Russia had done virtually nothing in that time to meet such an eventuality.

PLANS FOR NEW RUSSIA.

National Conference Assembles to Consider Needs.

Moscow, Aug. 27.—Russia is passing through a period of moral danger, Premier Kerensky told the National Conference which assembled in Moscow Saturday to consider the present situation of the country and plans for a new national government. He declared that any attempt to take advantage of the conference for an attack on the national power, as embodied in the provisional government, would be repressed pitilessly "by blood and iron."

The conference was opened at 3 o'clock with the Premier's speech. Representatives of important political, economic, commercial and scientific organizations and persons prominent in public life are in attendance.

SUGAR TO COME DOWN.

Food Administration Issues Cheering News to Housewives.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The Federal Food Administration announced yesterday that the beet sugar producers of the United States have agreed to limit the price of their sugar to a basis which should result in a reduction of about 1 1-2 cents a pound from the present prices and save $30,000,000 to the consuming public between now and the first of the year.

ENDS LIFE WITH POISON

Frederick County Man Worried Over Draft.

Frederick, Md., Aug. 27.—Worried over the excitement of being called before the County Exemption Board for physical examination, although exempted, Stanley Shankle, 27 son of D. O. Shankle, of Harmony rove, took poison Friday and died Saturday night. He was before the exemption board on Tuesday but failed to pass the test.

Shankle hid himself in the hayloft of a barn on Friday afternoon, and he was not found until Saturday.

POLITICAL POT BOILING

Active Canvass Being Made Against C. A. Sinclair for House of Delegates.

Manassas, Va., Aug. 27.—The political caldron which has been seething in Prince William county for some time is now boiling more furiously than ever.

C. J. Meeze, who failed to qualify in time, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the House of Delegates, and who lost his appeal before the democratic committee, is making an active canvass against C. A. Sinclair, the democratic nominee.

The republicans have held a meeting to determine upon the advisability of nominating a candidate for the House of Delegates. While no formal resolutions were adopted endorsing Mr. Meetze, as an independent candidate, the general feeling among the members present was that republican support of Mr. Meetze, as an independent, would tend to disrupt the democratic party. It was thought that at a later day the policy of the party could more safely be determined on. Therefore the committee was vested with the authority of making a nomination later, if, in its judgment, such nomination was deemed to the best interest of the republican party.

SOLDIER KILLED IN CRASH

Three Others and Civilian In Hospital in Serious Condition.

Crisfield, Md., Aug. 27.—The automobile of Marvin P. Scott, of this city, turned over on the State road, about one mile above Marion, early yesterday morning and Private Julius C. Blades, of Company L, First Maryland Infantry, was killed. Scoti and the other occupants of the car, Private Ralph Riggin, Emory Byrd and Linwood Wilson, all of Company L, were painfully injured and are in the General and Marine Hospital here.

The party was en route to Salisbury to get the Baltimore Sunday papers when the accident occurred. In making a turn on the State road at high speed the car got beyond control, striking a culvert. The occupants were thrown clear of the car, Blades landing on his head. His skull was crushed.

Blades was 22 years old and unmarried.

THREE LIVES LOST

Young Hero Gave His Life in Vain Effort to Save Companions.

Philadelphia, Aug. 27.—Losing their balance while foolishly rocking a rowboat in which they were having a merry outing early yesterday afternoon, two young girls were thrown into the Delaware River off Brideszurg and drowned. A boy who was with them, but who could not swim, bravely dived into the water for an attempted rescue, and also lost his life. The fourth occupant of the little craft, a girl, sat spellbound, unable to offer a helping hand until the boat, which had not been overturned, was towed to short by an unknown man.

Those drowned were Cecelia Kuntz, 15 years old; her cousin, Margaret Kuntz, 9 years old; and Walter Funk, 18 years old. Catharine Gill, 13 years old, was the fourth person in the boat.

STRANGLES CHILD.

Guatamalan Denies Crime When Confronted With Corpse.

Paris, Aug. 27.—Lured from her playmates by a well dressed stranger who met her outside her mother's door, a little, bright-eyed girl of 7, named Carmen Bermann, has just come to a terrible end.

When her disappearance was reported the police searched the city in all directions, and a dentist's assistant named Antonio Guerrero y Guerrero, a Guatemalan, was arrested on suspicion. He denied ever having seen the child. Later a package, left at the Gare du Nord under a seat, was found to contain the corpse of little Carmen, who had been strangled.

To her torn dress was pinned a scrap of paper bearing the words, "This is revenge," When confronted with the corpse, Guerrero denied the crime.

MacMillian's Party Safe

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 27.—Donald B. MacMillian's Arctic exploration expedition arrived here last night on the relief steamer Neptune, after four years spent in the polar regions.

MacMillian, who was one of Rear-Admirals Peary's lieutenants on his successful dash for the North Pole, confirmed previous dispatches from him that there was no Crocker Land, such as has been reported by Peary.

Peary's mistake was due to a mirage so real that the MacMillian party had been deceived by it for four days, he said.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Even a prophet professing to be the earthly representative of God is not permitted to speak or hold meeting on the streets of Richmond unless he has a permit. Such was the stern and uncompromising ultimatum of a patrolman delivered to an unkempt and uncouth individual in front of Murphy's Hotel Saturday night. This character claims that he is a Tishbite, such as Elijah of old, preaching the Gospel and teaching lesson of sacrifice and self-abnegation. This strange descendant of Elijah the Tishbite is conspicuous enough in his dress and conduct to attract the immediate notice of the average passerby. Uncouth and dirty looking, with long, matted hair, carrying a heavy knotted cane, dressed in an old tunic, and barefooted, he has attracted much attention on the streets for several days past.

Snakes in large numbers and of fighting stock are appearing throughout the Harrisonburg end of the Valley. On the Geil farm near Linville, last week, 104 snakes were killed in three raids on nests. A black racer, four feet in length, put up a stiff fight before he was downed. Near Lacey Springs last week two girls put fifty-four serpents out of business, and just east of Harrisonburg two housewives dispatched sixty-six in one drive. Numerous rattlesnakes have been killed. Most people attribute the appearance of snakes to the extreme hot weather this summer, and some old folks declare that the war spirit gets into them during all great conflicts.

Lieutenant Governor Ellyson's race for governor of Virginia cost him exactly $8,965.50, according to a certified statement filed by him with the clerk of the hustings court of Richmond.

An effort was made early Saturday night to burn the viaduct bridge of the Pine Beach division of the Norfolk Railway and Light Company, over which the trolley line to the new naval base at the old exposition grounds is operated. It was the third attempt made since the inauguration of work at the new base to burn this structure. An investigation showed that coal oil had been poured over the wood structure at the damaged end before the match was applied.

Fourteen years ago William Fry and wife lived in Luray. An estrangement occurred and the woman left for Pittsburgh. Fry remaining in Luray, Fry says that some reports came to him that his wife was dead; others that she had married again. About two years ago he married another woman, Retta Broaddus, a widow. Thursday wife No. 1 appeared in Luray and had a warrant sworn out for the offending husband. Fry is held for the Page county grand jury under bail.

Locked up in the Luray jail with officers refusing to allow him to attend Saturday the funeral of his wife, whose death is shrouded in mystery, William Ford, of Luray, will be called upon to explain her sudden death. The wife, Fannie Ford, a few days ago made arrangements to accompany a Luray family to a summer resort on the Blue Ridge. She was to be taken along as a domestic. Before leaving she phoned to her husband of her purpose of going. To this the man is said to have made objection. The woman, however, made the trip, and when she returned she was met by her husband. Witnesses say that on the way to the Ford home they were heard quarreling. It is alleegd by friends of the dead woman that when they reached a lonely spot near the Ford home the husband knocked her down. She died soon afterward. Ford protests his innocence.

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A clean, interesting and modern drama.

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CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG
in
"WITHOUT A SOUL"
The question of life after death.

THURSDAY
GLADYS COBURN
in
"THE PRIMITIVE CALL"
Story of modern society and an ancient race.

SURPRISE
TONIGHT'S PROGRAM
Last Chapter of
HELEN HOLMES
"THE RAILROAD RAIDERS"

PEARL WHITE
and
LEON BARY
in
"THE FATAL RING"
See the first chapter of this remarkable serial.

TUESDAY
LILLIAN WALKER
in
"MRS. DAME'S DANGER"
HAM AND BUD COMEDY

WEDNESDAY
HOBART HENLEY
and
GERTRUDE SELBY
in
"THE SIGN OF THE POPPY"

THURSDAY
RUTH ROLAND
In Chapter 14 of
"THE NEGLECTED WIFE"
SHORTY HAMILTON
in
"SHORTY SOLVES THE WIRELESS MYSTERY"

JAPANESE AT MT. VERNON.

Eloquent Tribute by Count Ishii to First President.

Viscount Ishii, the special Ambassador from Japan, placing a wreath of roses and chrysanthemums on the tomb of George Washington at Mount Vernon yesterday, claimed the right for Japan to honor Washington's memory and reaffirmed her devotion to the allies' cause and the principles for which they wage battle.

The members of the Japanese Mission with Secretary and Mrs. Daniels as hosts sailed down the Potomac on the President's yacht Mayflower. Accompanying them were high officers of the army, navy and marine corps, members of the missions of other European countries and many prominent people in diplomatic and official life.

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AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Kate McDermott and others to the undersigned trustee, recorded in deed book 63, page 110 of the land records of Alexandria City, default having been made in the payment of the principal note thereby secured, and at the request of the holder of said note, I will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, September first, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building the following property:—

1st. All that lot of ground improved by a brick dwelling house, situated in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on the north side of Prince street between Henry and Fayette streets, and bounded as follows:—

Beginning on the north side of Prince Street at the end of 125 feet, 5 inches from the corner of Fayette Street, and at the center of said square; thence westwardly by and with Prince Street, and binding there on, twenty feet; thence northwardly and parallel to Fayette Street one hundred feet to a ten foot alley; thence eastwardly by and with said alley twenty feet, and thence by a straight line to the beginning, together with the use of said alley and rights and appurtenances to the said lot of ground belonging.

2nd. All that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the city of Alexandria, Virginia and known as No. 1109 Queen Street, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the north side of Queen Street, at the west line of Owen's lot, a point supposed to be 70 feet west of Henry Street; thence west on Queen Street, twenty feet more or less to Dogan's line; thence north one hundred feet; thence east twenty feet, more or less, to Owen's line, and thence south one hundred feet to the beginning.

Terms of sale CASH. Conveyancing at cost of purchaser or purchasers. A deposit of ten per cent. of purchase price will be required when property is knocked down.

HOWARD W. SMITH, Trustee.
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LEGAL NOTICES

IN VACATION

Commonwealth of Virginia, in the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of August, 1917.

James H. Marshall vs. Sadie Smith Marshall. In Chancery.

Upon the application of the Complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the Defendant the Clerk doth on the 6th day of August, 1917, enter the following order of publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the filing of this suit, and for general relief.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Sadie Smith Marshall, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process issued herein that the defendant is not a resident of his bailiwick, and application having been made in writing to the Clerk of this Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in Chancery filed by the Complainant against the defendant as above stated, it is ordered that she do appear within fifteen days after due publication of said order of publication and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria, Virginia, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of this Court on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered and a copy of said order of publication shall be mailed by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known residence of the defendant, to-wit Washington, D. C.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q.
187-4w.

IN VACATION OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ALEXANDRIA CITY, VIRGINIA. IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF SAID COURT.

Sophie W. Welbert, complainant, vs. William Welbert, defendant. Order for order of publication.

Upon the application of the complainant, stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Alexandria City, Virginia, on the 16th day of August, 1917, doth enter the following order of publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii, divorcing the complainant from the defendant, on the ground of desertion, and for general relief.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, William Welbert, has not been found within the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, and that he is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within 15 days after due publication of said order of publication, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, State of Virginia, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this city, on or before the 20th day of August, 1917, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of said order of publication shall be mailed by the Clerk of this Court, addressed to the said non-resident defendant at 1440 71st street, Brooklyn, N. Y., his last known place of address.

Signed in vacation of the Circuit Court of Alexandria City, Virginia, at Alexandria City, Virginia, on this the 16th day of August, 1917.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk Circuit Court, Alexandria City, Virginia.
R. C. L. Moncure and J. T. McHale, P. Q. 196-4w.

To the Stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, Inc.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, incorporated, will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 111 S. Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 11:00 a. m. Tuesday, September 4, 1917, to elect Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

JAY P. FELT, Secretary.
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RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

N. B.—Following schedule figures published only as information. Not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria:

4:27 a. m., Daily—Memphis Special. Sleeping cars and coaches for Lynchburg, Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville, Memphis, Washington sleeping cars open after 10:00 p. m. Dining car.

7:57 a. m., Daily—Local to Strasburg, connecting daily except Sunday at Strasburg with B and O train leaving there 1:00 p. m. for Harrisonburg. Operates through to Harrisonburg on Sunday. Buffet parlor car.

8:17 a. m., Daily—Local to stations between Manassas and Charlottesville and limited beyond to Atlanta. Coaches only.

9:17 a. m., Daily—U. S. fast mail. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, New Orleans. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville. Dining car.

2:02 p. m., Saturday only—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

4:02 p. m., Daily except Saturday and Sunday—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

4:22 p. m., Daily—Local to Charlottesville. Parlor car to Warrenton.

5:12 p. m., Daily—Birmingham Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car. Daily tourist car to California.

5:22 p. m., Daily except Sunday—Local for Warrenton.

7:17 p. m., Daily—Augusta Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Sleeping cars to Asheville. Dining car.

10:02 p. m., Daily—Washington & Chattanooga Limited. (Via Lynchburg). Coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, New Orleans. Dining car.

11:02 p. m. Daily—New York & New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to Atlanta and New Orleans. Sleeping car to Macon. Dining car.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55

Sunday and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10, 7 30, 7 50, and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.

A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 35, 6 40, 7 35, 8 32, 10 20, 11 50.

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Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect July 2, 1917, For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33, 10.38, 10:45 a. m. 12:01, 1:28, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 5:14, 5.53, 8:23, 11:33 p. m.

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